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BENNETT TO HOST ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION ON “RESHAPING THE FUTURE OF AMERICA’S HEALTH”

Washington, DC—Robert Bennett (R-UT), Chairman of the Joint Economic Committee, will host a roundtable discussion on Wednesday October 1, to discuss the future of health in America. With the current debate on health care dominated by issues of benefits, insurance coverage, and payment levels, the attention of policymakers has been drawn away from the most important issue – the health of the American people.

The Surgeon General of the United States, Richard Carmona, will join the panel to offer his unique insight into public health issues. The panel will also include Dr. Diane Rowland, a national expert on issues involving Medicaid and the Uninsured.

What: Roundtable Discussion: Reshaping the Future of America’s Health

When: Wednesday, October 1, 10:45 am

Where: 216 Hart Senate Office Building

Panelists: Richard Carmona, M.D., M.P.H., F.A.C.S.
Surgeon General of the United States

Diane Rowland, Sc.D.
Executive Vice President,
Henry J. Kaiser Family Foundation

Additional Witnesses TBA

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